

# **Federal Fleet Composition and Operation**

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## AGENDA



# **Federal Fleet Requirements and Goals**

**FedFleet Performance and Trends** 

**Strategies for Reducing GHG Emission Reductions** 

## **Executive Order 13693**

Planning for Federal Sustainability in the Next Decade

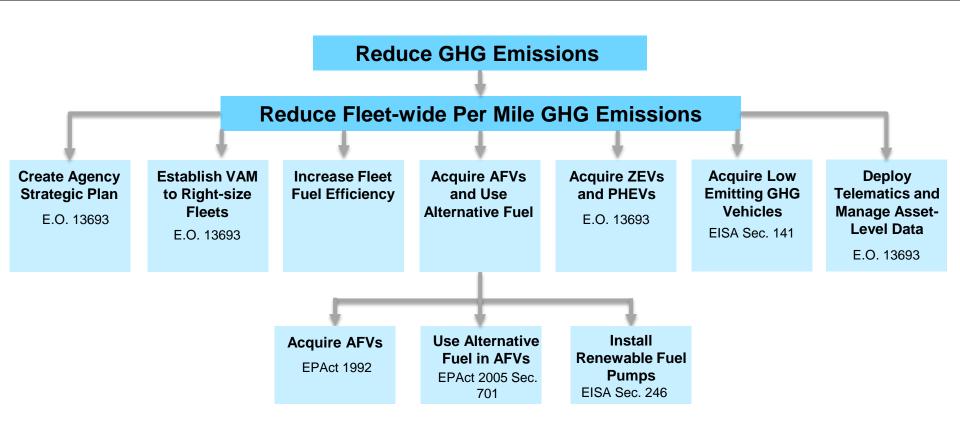
- Signed on March 19, 2015
- "Maintain Federal leadership in sustainability and greenhouse gas emission reductions"
- "Expanded and updated Federal environmental performance goals"
- "Continue to drive national greenhouse gas reductions and support preparations for the impacts of climate change"

# Federal Fleet Requirements-Overview



The overarching Federal fleet goal is to reduce GHG emissions [and increase efficiency] across Federal operations

E.O. 13693 Federal fleet metric: **fleet-wide per mile GHG emissions** 



# E.O. 13693 Flexibility in Reducing GHG Emissions



## Old E.O.s 13423 & 13514

E.O. 13693

Overarching **Objective** 

Reduce overall annual fleet GHG emissions as part of agency-established reduction target for FY 2008 to FY 2025



Same with updated agency targets

**Primary fleet** performance metric(s)

### Petroleum Reduction

Requires 2 percent annual reduction from FY 2005 to FY 2020



#### Alternative Fuel Use

Requires **10 percent** annual increase starting from FY 2005 baseline through FY 2015

## Per-Mile GHG Emissions Reduction

FY 17: 4 percent reduction

FY 21: 15 percent reduction

FY 25: 30 percent reduction

"allows agencies to continue to meet their mission requirements while also achieving significant GHG reductions"

# Overview of Federal Fleet Sustainability Requirements



ı	Fleet Requirement	Statute or Executive Order	Description
	Reduce <u>per Mile</u> GHG emissions	E.O. 13693 Sec. 3(g)(ii)	<ul><li>4% reduction by FY17</li><li>15% by FY21</li><li>30% by FY25</li></ul>
F	Reduce overall GHG emissions	E.O. 13693 Sec. 2	Reduce fleet GHG emissions as part of agency- established reduction target for FY 2008 to FY 2025
i ے	Optimum fleet inventory, right-size fleets	E.O. 13693 Sec. 3(g)(iv)	Establish a structured VAM to determine the appropriate size and number of motor vehicles
Acq	Acquisition of ZEVs and PHEVs	E.O. 13693 Sec. 3(g)(v)	<ul> <li>20% of new passenger vehicle acquisitions by FY20</li> <li>50% of new passenger vehicle acquisitions by FY25</li> </ul>
Vehicle	Acquisition of AFVs	EPAct 1992	At least 75 percent of LDVs acquired in MSAs/CMSAs must be AFVs
A	Acquisition of low GHG-emitting vehicles	EISA § 141	Prohibits agencies from acquiring vehicles that are not low-GHG-emitting vehicles
	Alternative fuel use in AFVs	EPAct 2005 § 701	All dual-fueled vehicles must use alternative fuel if reasonably available (i.e., unless waivered)
<b>L</b>	Alternative fuel infrastructure	EISA § 246	Every federal fleet fueling center must install a renewable fuel pump

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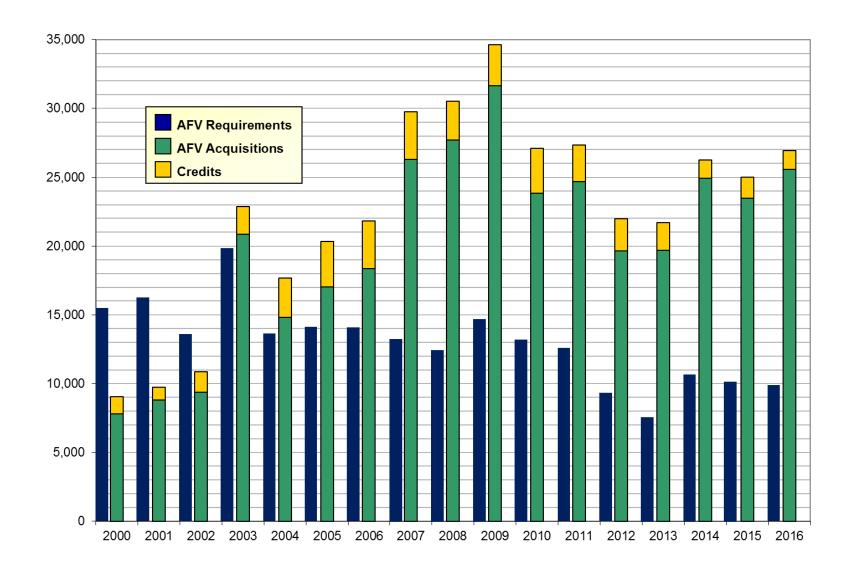
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# FY 2016 Federal Fleet Compliance Summary



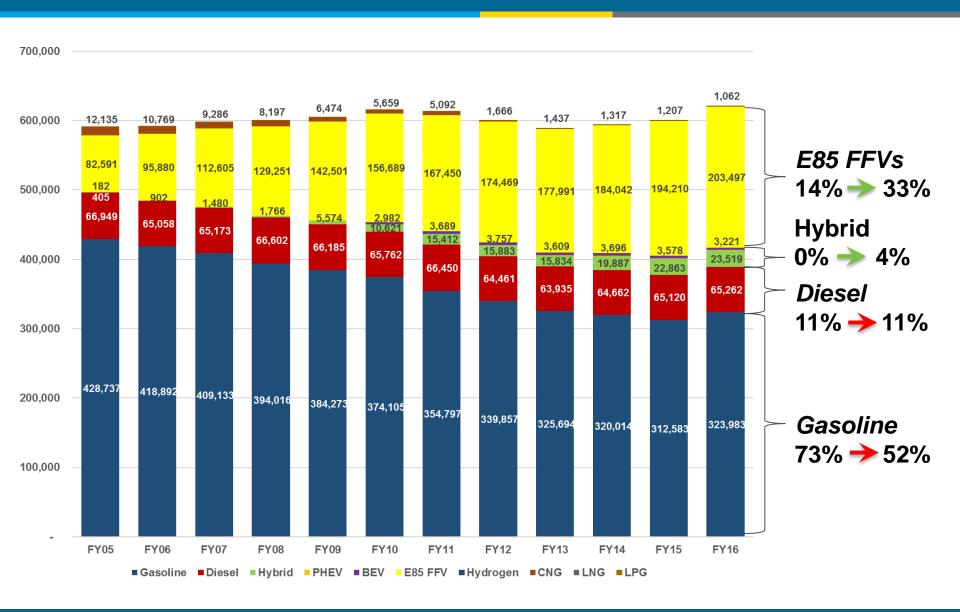
	Requirement	FY 16 Performance
EO 13693 Per-mile GHG Emissions	Reduce fleet-wide per-mile GHG emissions <b>by 2%</b> relative to FY 2014 baseline (for FY16)	<ul><li>1.1 percent</li><li>24 of 32 covered agencies achieved compliance</li></ul>
EPAct 92 AFV Acquisitions	<b>75%</b> of "covered" Light-Duty Vehicle acquisitions must be AFVs	<ul><li>203 percent</li><li>29 of 31 covered agencies achieved compliance</li></ul>
EPAct 2005 §701 Alternative Fuel Use in AFVs	All dual-fueled AFVs must use alternative fuel if available (i.e., unless waivered)	<b>90 GGE</b> of alternative fuel use per non-waivered dual-fuel AFV (preliminary estimate)

# Federal fleets have consistently exceeded EPAct 1992 AFV acquisition requirements



# Transformation of the fleet from conventional vehicles to AFVs (FY05-FY16)

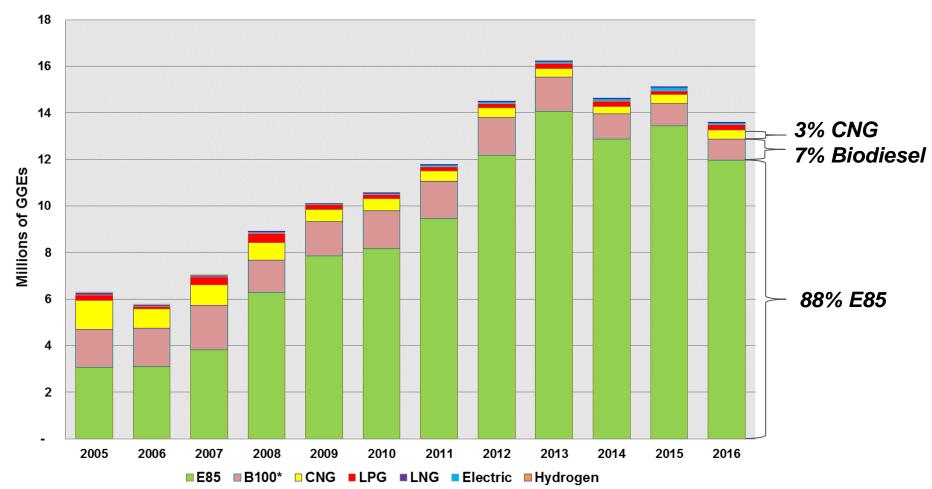




# E85 comprises majority of fleet alternative fuel use and increase from FY05 to FY16



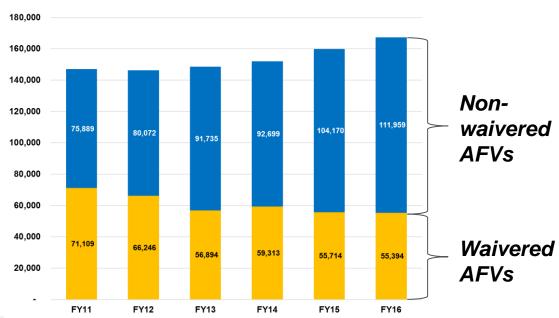
#### **Alternative Fuel Consumption by Federal Agencies**

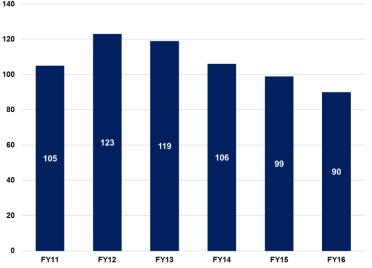


## EPAct 2005 §701: Large opportunity to increase E85 and alternative fuel use



Federal fleets have steadily increased the number of dual-fueled AFVs subject to EPAct 2005 §701...





... but the alternative fuel use per non-waivered AFV has been decreasing since FY12

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# The Core Principles of GHG Emission Reduction



Right-size fleets and vehicles to mission

Increase fleet fuel efficiency

Use alternative fuels, including electricity

#### Right-size fleets and vehicles to mission

Completing VAM to identify and dispose of inefficient vehicles, and replace them with lower GHG emitting vehicles Reducing vehicle miles travelled

## Replacing existing vehicles with higher fuel economy vehicles

Right-sizing vehicles Includes HEVs, PHEVs, and LSEVs

## **Operational changes**

Improved maintenance Driving more efficiently Avoiding Idling

#### **Maximize displacement of conventional** fuels w/ alternative fuels

ZEVs & PHEVs and charging infrastructure E85, CNG, etc. that require infrastructure and AFVs

B20 that requires infrastructure

# Principle 1: Right-size fleets to mission Requirement: VAM study and reports



Generate a fleet profile **Develop** minimum utilization criteria

Compare existing fleet to actual mission requirements

Develop acquisition plan

Review and **Update** VAM

Utilization study, vehicle inventory and mission requirements

**Validate** vehicle need based on mission needs, define baseline of required fleet

Dispose or reassign vehicles as needed

Evaluate alternatives where possible

Create a multiyear acquisition plan, recommend vehicle type and size by location, and place AFVs where fuel is available

**Update** VAM at least every five years (VAM reports)

Right-size fleets and vehicles to mission

## Reduce Vehicle Miles Traveled



## Low /No-Cost Solutions for All Vehicle Types





- Eliminate trip duplication
- Car pooling



## Eliminate trips

- Video and Web conferencing tools
- Transportation on demand (TOD)



## Improve scheduling and routing

Optimize travel distance using GPS technology



## Use mass transportation

 Use mass transportation alternatives to eliminate fleet vehicle transportation needs



## Use agency shuttles

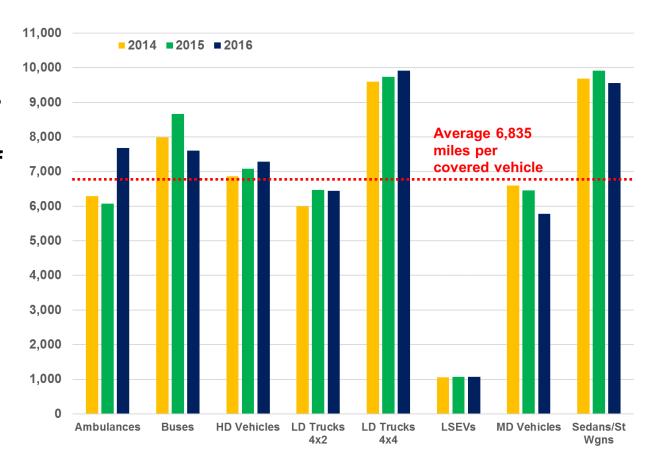
Provide a shuttle service for high-use routes to consolidate trips



## Possible opportunities to pool vehicles to eliminate fleet vehicles and reduce costs



- Federal fleet annual average of **6,835** miles per vehicle is much lower that the national average of 11,700 miles
- Low miles per vehicle suggest some opportunities to create vehicle pools



# Principle 2: Increase Fleet Fuel Efficiency







- Downsize vehicles
- Use VAM to determine the optimal types based on mission need



Increase fleet fuel efficiency



- Acquire hybrid electric vehicles (HEVs) and plug-in hybrid electric vehicles (PHEVs)
  - Can reduce petroleum and GHG emissions by 30% or more
  - Focus deployment of HEVs in areas lacking access to alternative fuel



- Maintain vehicles to improve fuel economy
  - Perform regularly scheduled and preventative maintenance



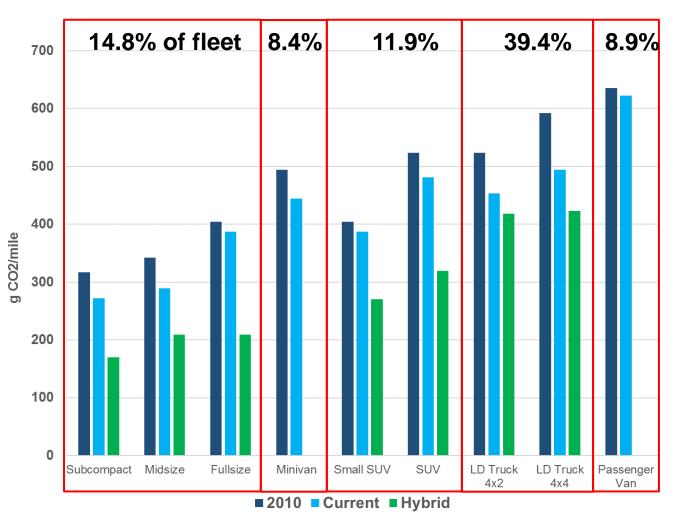
- **Drive more efficiently** 
  - Use cruise control, avoid fast starts, remove excess weight, etc.



- Avoid excessive idling
  - Turn off engines when vehicles are stopped or parked
  - Use idling reduction technologies for essential heating, cooling, and other auxiliary loads (e.g., APUs)

# Example per-mile GHG emissions





## Reduce per mile GHG emissions by acquiring more efficient vehicles:

- Right-sizing vehicles to mission
- Replacing older less efficient vehicles
- Acquiring HEVs

Source: fueleconomy.gov

# Example per-mile GHG emissions



### Compact sedan



2012 Ford Focus

287 g/mile

#### Midsize sedan



2012 Chevy Malibu 342 g/mile

2012 Ford Fusion Hybrid

228 g/mile

#### Large sedan



2012 Ford Taurus

423 g/mile

#### Passenger Van



2012 Chevrolet Express 1500 8-cyl. 635 g/mile

#### Minivan



2012 Chrysler Town & Country 444 g/mile

#### **Small SUV**



2012 Ford Escape

355 g/mile

#### Large SUV



523 g/mile 2012 Chevy Tahoe 1500 4x4

## **Light-duty Truck 4x2**



2012 Ford F150 523 g/mile

### **Light-duty Truck 4x4**



2012 Chevrolet Silverado K15 4WD 592 g/mile

Source: fueleconomy.gov

# Increase Fleet Fuel Efficiency



Percent

improvement in

fuel economy

100%

25%

100%

25%

Replacement

fuel use

(gallons)

1,000

1.600

250

400

Replacement

mpg

10 mpa

6.25 mpg

40 mpg

25 mpg

## Focus on Increasing the Fuel Efficiency of the Least Efficient Vehicles

Increase fleet fuel efficiency

Fuel reduction

(gallons)

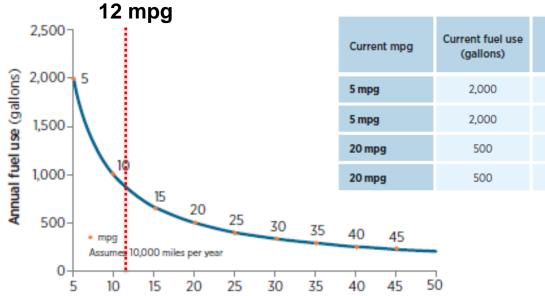
1,000

400

250

100

## Federal fleet average:



Fuel economy (mpg)

# Principle 3:

## Use Alternative Fuels, Including Electricity



#### Alternative fuels include but are not limited to:

- Electricity
- E85
- Compressed natural gas (CNG)
- Liquefied natural gas (LNG)
- Liquefied petroleum gas or propane (LPG)
- Neat (100%) biodiesel (B100) or biodiesel blends

## **Dual-fueled AFVs MUST use alternative fuel if** available (EPAct 2005, Section 701):

- E85 FFVs,
- Bi-fuel CNG or LNG vehicles, and
- Bi-fuel LPG vehicles

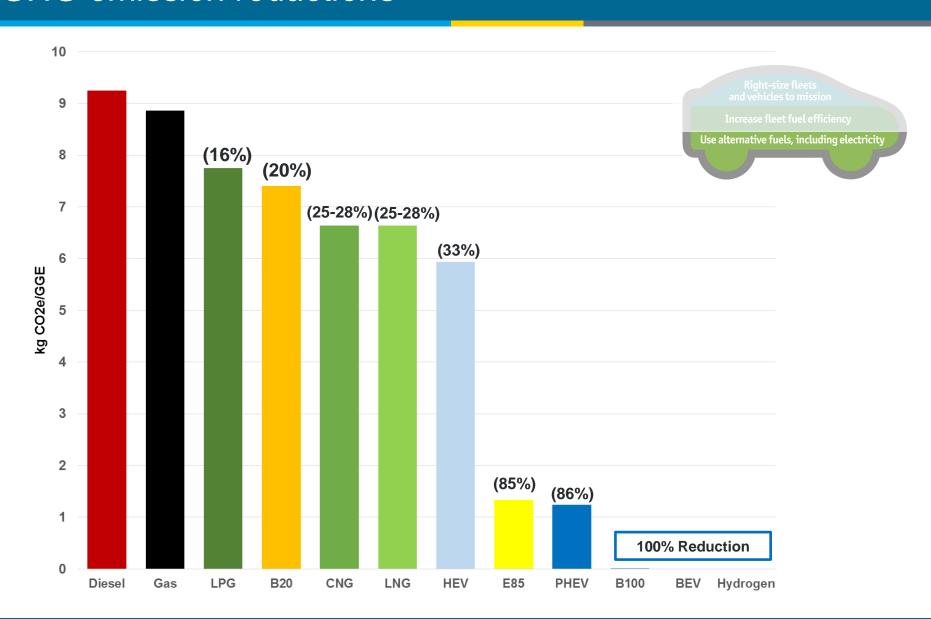
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# Alternative Fuels – GHG emission reductions



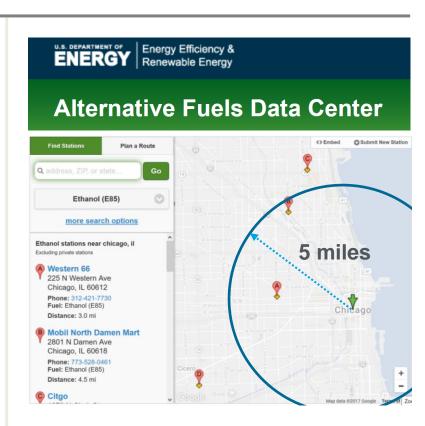


# Large opportunity to increase alternative fuel use in dual-fueled AFVs



**EPAct 2005 §701:** FY 2016 preliminary **estimate of 90 GGE** of alternative fuel use **per non-waivered dual-fuel AFV** 

- FLEETDASH: Monitor fuel transaction data
- Lock-out dual-fueled AFVs from using gasoline pumps
- Provide locations and driving directions to alternative fuel stations
  - Tools available at AFDC (www.afdc.energy.gov)
- Policies and training for local fleet managers and drivers
- Consider alternative fuel use metrics in performance reviews and job descriptions





# Balance vehicle acquisition to support strategies with **Federal fleet requirements**

**GHG** Emission **Reduction Strategy**  **Vehicle Acquisition Strategy** 

Regulatory **Constraints** 

Right-size fleets and vehicles to mission Dispose or reduce acquisitions

to ensure fleet and vehicles are right-sized to mission

**VAM** (EO 13693)

Increase fleet fuel efficiency

Acquire HEVs and higher fuel economy vehicles to reduce GHG emissions per mile

Low GHGemitting vehicles (EISA §141)

Use alternative fuels, including electricity

Acquire EVs, AFVs, or diesel vehicles to support AF, biodiesel, or EV strategies

AFV acquisitions (EPAct 92) **ZEVs & PHEVs** (EO 13693)

# **FEMP Federal Fleet Program** Guidance

for each fleet



#### E.O. 13693 Fleet Guidance Framework: Two Documents

Fleet guidance is organized around a cyclical fleet management framework—plan, collect, strategize, and implement



# FEMP Federal Fleet Program Resources



FEMP Fleet Guidance	<u>federalfleets.energy.gov</u> • Guidance and Handbook Documents	
FEMP Fleet Training	<ul> <li>federalfleets.energy.gov/information_resources</li> <li>Federal Fleet Management 101 (FEMP First Thursday)</li> <li>Electric Vehicles (FEMP First Thursday)</li> <li>EPAct 2005 Section 701</li> <li>EISA Section 141</li> </ul>	
Fleet Tools	<ul> <li>federalfleets.energy.gov/FleetDASH/</li> <li>Fleet Sustainability Dashboard (FleetDASH)</li> <li>www.afdc.energy.gov</li> <li>Alternative Fuel Station Locator</li> <li>TransAtlas</li> <li>Petroleum Reduction Planning Tool</li> </ul>	
Other resources	www.fueleconomy.gov GHG emissions per mile Fuel economy information and tips www.epa.gov/greenvehicles Vehicle ratings based on GHG emissions/fuel economy	

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